WILLIAMSPORT, WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

Survey # WA-WIL-173 Approximate date <u>early 19th century</u>
Street Address 22 West Potomac Street
Town, State Williamsport, Maryland
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Description

Two story, three bay attached brick house with a Flemish Bond facade and parapet end walls. Early 19th century, with a ca. 1900 porch across the front. In the early 20th century, this building has the Williamsport Telephone Exchange.

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s):
 - ? Agricultural-Industrial Transition A.D. 1815-1870
- III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):

Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning Economic (Commercial and Industrial)

IV. Resource Type

Category: Building

Historic Environment: Urban

Historic Function(s) and Use(s):

DOMESTIC/single dwelling COMMERCE/TRADE/specialty store

Known Design Source: Unknown

Photo Reference: Photo # 4

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Hagerstown, MD 21740

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Situated on the south side of West Potomac Street and facing north is a two story, three bay brick house with Flemish bond used at the front elevation. The east gable end has a low parapet wall. The house has two front doors located in the central and west bays of the front elevation. The central entrance appears to have been made smaller. Standing seam sheet metal covers the roof. probably dates from the late 18th or early 19th century.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY					
10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY Town lot 2:	7' x 196'				
VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION					
LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES	OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES				
	COUNTY				
TI FORM PREPARED BY NAME / TITLE Paula Stoner Reed, Architectural ORGANIZATION	DATE				
Preservation Associates, Inc. STREET & NUMBER 109 West Main Street	June 1980 TELEPHONE 301-432-5466				
CITY OR YOWN Sharpsburg	STATE Maryland 21782				

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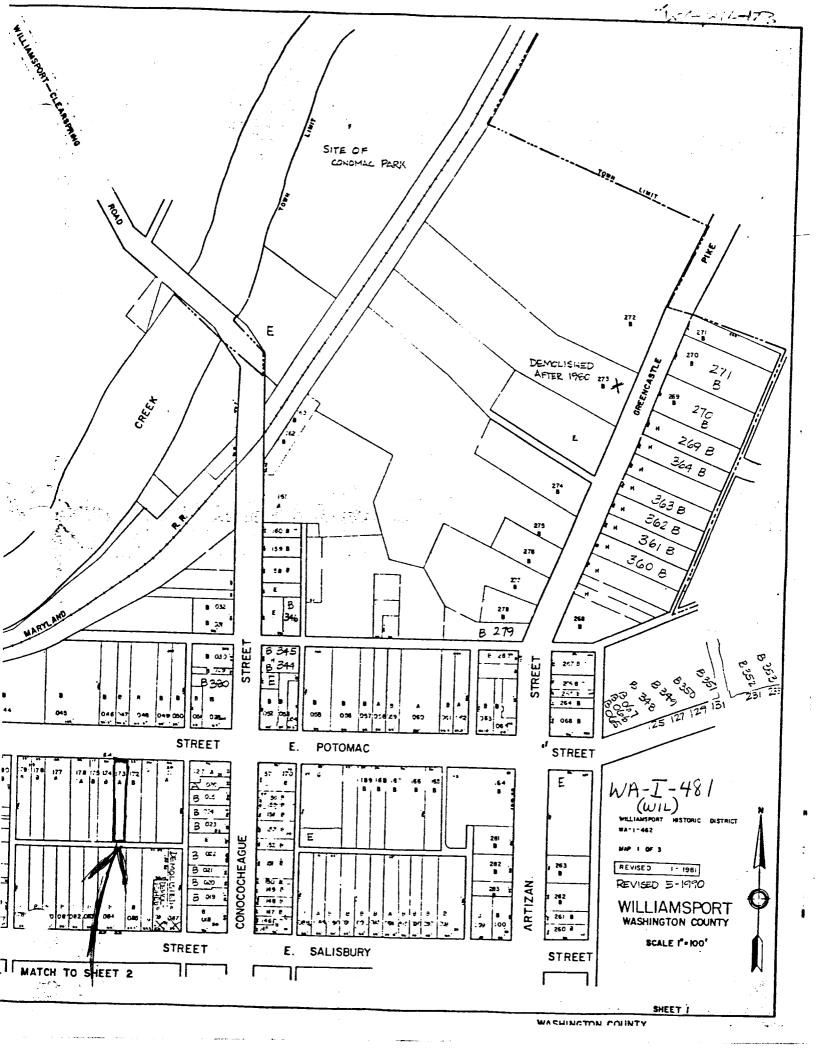
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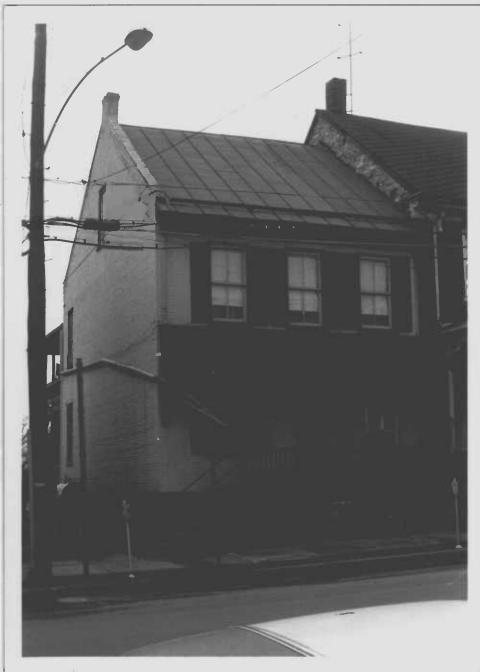
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